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—MANUFACTURERS OF—

SPOFFORD BIT BRACES, HOLLOW-HANDLE AWL AND TOOL SETS,

DIAL SCALES &c.

FACTORY AT WEST STRATFORD.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN., *January 9th 1889*The Superintendent of the U.S. Mint
Philadelphia Pa

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Your reply will greatly oblige
Respectfully yours.

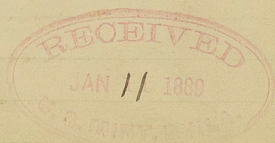
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